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THE South-Carolina GAZETTE.

From THURSDAY *September* 25th, to THURSDAY *October* 2d, 1755.

On Monday last arrived here Capt. *James Fitch* from *New York*, by whom we have the following very agreeable Accounts, upon which we congratulate the good People of *Carolina*.

NEW-YORK, Sept. 13.

By an Express from the Camp, arrived here Yesterday at 9 o'Clock A. M. we have the following Letter, dated September 10th, 1755.

MAJOR General *Johnson* having posted himself, and fortified his camp at lake *Sacrament*, now called lake *George*, with about 2200 men; and having intelligence of a *French* army's being in motion in that neighbourhood, detached a party of about 1000 men, and 200 *Indians* against the enemy, whom by the accounts of our scouts, we had reason to think, had been to attack *Fort Lyman*, at the *Carrying Place*, and were returning towards us, our accounts being uncertain, whether they had carried their point, or been drove from thence. This party met the enemy about 4 miles off the camp at lake *George*, engaged them, but finding them too strong, made the best retreat they could: Numbers were killed on both sides; I believe rather most on ours, particularly among our *Indians*, tho' few in our retreat.

The enemy marched to our camp, and about 12 attack'd us with their whole force: The engagement continued very warm on both sides 'till past 4, when the enemy began to slacken their fire gave way, and fled. Our artillery play'd very briskly in our front the whole time, the success of which was entirely owing to the conduct and bravery of captain *Eyers*, our engineer-general. The attack was begun by the regular troops on our center; the *Indians* on the left of our line, and afterwards they made a vigorous attack on our right. Col. *Titcomb*, of a *Boston* regiment, was killed, which is all the officers I hear of yet.—Our general was wounded in the hip, yet kept the field tho' in great pain; the wound is painful, but, thank God, not dangerous.—Our dead [illegible] to 164, [illegible] amounts to more than 150, and about 100 wounded; but as yet I have no exact returns. The *French* general, le baron *de Dieskau*, we have taken; he is badly wounded, and I fear will not live. We understand by his papers, he is general of all the regular forces lately arrived from *Europe*—an elderly man, much of a gentleman, and in great reputation as a soldier. By his papers, it appears, he had at *Crown-Point* and *Ticondagora* 3 or 4 regular troops. From that place to *Crown Point*, they have fortified all the advantageous passes. He was mistaken in his intelligence, and the *Indians* and *Canadians* gave way;—this he says occasioned his defeat. His aid de-camp came into our camp, when it was dark, and surrender'd himself. His major-general was killed, and several other considerable officers. They made a bold attack, and maintained it bravely. Our cannon and breastwork was of singular service to us. We have about 25 prisoners. The number of the enemy is variously reported by the prisoners; the general says 1600, some 2000, others 2300: We were, I believe, effective, near 2200, of which many could not engage, keeping post where the enemy might, but did not, attack us. Our officers and men are a good deal fatigued having been under arms night and day ever since we first received the intelligence.

The *French* hurried off, and hid many of their dead. Our *Indians* have taken off near 70 scalps, and 'tis said lost near 40 of their people; old *Hendric* is I fear killed; they are much enraged.

Another engagement took place between 4 and 5. Some *New-Hampshire* and *New York* troops, about 210, who were we understood reconnoitring, and hearing our fire, march'd briskly up, met 300 *Canadians* and *Indians*, where the engagement was in the morning, who had fled from the battle at our camp, to scalp our people killed in the morning. Our brave party fought nobly, put the enemy to flight, and made a considerable slaughter. Capt. *Magevis* commanded the party, behaved with the utmost calmness and resolution, was brought in on a horse, much wounded, and I fear cannot live; may his memory be honoured.

The council of war having given their opinion, that one general letter be wrote to all the governments, and dispatched directly to *Boston*; from thence and *Connecticut* they expect reinforcements, which will be very welcome to us. We are apprehensive, and our *Indians* very much so, that the *French* will make another more formidable attack speedily upon us, and bring artillery up the lake.

I inclose your honour the order of battle, found among the *French* general's papers, also his letters, and his aid de camp's, which the latter just now wrote and sent me. The long letter with part colors, going to *Boston*, and minutes of the council of war, if not before, I hope you will receive in a day or two after this.

All at present is in a hurry, and in an irregular army, so you must be kind enough to make all allowances for inaccuracies and blunders, *&c.*

I was willing to write your honour a line or two, 'tis now a sort of letter. I am interrupted every moment, but always most respectfully, Sir, *&c.*

Peter Wraxall, Aid de Camp.

P.S. Our general's wound pains him: He begs his salutations.—He behaved in all respects worthy his station, and is the idol of the army. General *Lyman*, and all the officers, behaved with distinguish'd conduct and courage,—the men with the utmost bravery,—and the victory was fairly fought for.

To Governor DE LANCEY."

By the bearer of the above express we are inform'd, the enemy had about 700 killed.

Upon the first notice of the engagement near the lake *George*, his excellency Sir *Charles Hardy* [*the new Governor of New York, who had lately arrived there*] immediately ordered a large supply of provisions, ammunition, and warlike stores, with some *Indian* presents of condolance, to be shipped on board some *Albany* sloops: and yesterday embark'd himself with a number of gentlemen, whose presence we doubt not will have a good effect.

We are told, his excellency purposes to stay there a time, in order to be ready on any service that his presence may forward; and is resolved to take the field if necessary.

The assembly of *Boston* have passed a vote to raise 2000 men, besides the 800, to reinforce General *Johnson*.

The *Boston* post assures us, that coming thro' the several towns in *Connecticut*, he observed multitudes of the inhabitants of that government preparing for a march towards general *Johnson*'s army, being spirited up by the just resentment due to our common and perfidious enemy:—And in particular he affirms, that one Capt. *Fairchild*, of *Stratford*, had, in the space of 3 days only, compleated a company of 100 men, all independents,—men that furnished themselves with every thing necessary for the expedition at their own private expence, and march'd away on horseback for the camp on thursday or friday last.

And,—The express that came to town yesterday from general *Johnson*, even assures us, that he should have been in town the evening before, had not the different bodies of people he met on the road hither, bravely going to the assistance of Mr. *Johnson*, prevented his speed, by interrogating him about the success of the engagement, which did not a little contribute to expedite their march.

And indeed we have received no less assurance from gentlemen of good authority, that the city and county of *Albany* are since almost drained of its inhabitants, who are gone on the aforesaid purpose, being excited thereto by a noble and exalted spirit of justly vindicating their sovereign's cause.

A letter from *Halifax*, dated *August* 28th, says, "——Three *French* snows, one from *Bourdeaux* laden with wine, brandy, *&c.* and the other two from the *West-Indies*, with melasses, indico, and provisions, bound for *Louisbourg*, were sent in here the 24th past, by admiral *Holbourn*'s squadron: They were immediately condemned, their cargoes to be sold this day, and their hulls to be disposed of at public vendue tomorrow. The *Baltimore* snow, capt. *Suckling*, arrived here yesterday from the fleet off *Louisbourg*, and says, that admiral *Holbourn* has taken 4 other large *French* ships bound to *Cape Breton*, having on board 900 tons of provisions. The prizes brought in here some time ago, are all sold, except the men of war, one of which is to go home to *England*, and the other (being too old) is to winter here in company with 6 sail more under *Holbourn*'s command.——"

We are told, that the above 4 *French* ships were part of a fleet of 15 sail bound to *Cape-Breton*; and that when the *Baltimore* left the fleet, the admiral was extremely vigilant in disposing of his men of war in such a manner, as that nothing, if it was possible to prevent it, should escape their most exact observation.

On friday last the General Assembly of this province met to the 30th instant, after his excellency had given his assent to the following (and 3 other) acts, viz.

An act for raising the sum of 8000 l. *to be remitted to the colony of* Connecticut *towards the expence of a reinforcement of* 2000 *of their men, now levying in the said colony, for the army raised against* Crown Point, *within his majesty's dominions; and for emitting bills of credit to the amount of the said sum of* 8000 l. *for making immediate payment.*—And,

An act more effectually to restrain the exportation of provisions and warlike stores from the colony of New-York.

New York, Sep. 19. Yesterday at 11 *A. M.* arrived a sloop from *Albany*, which left that city on monday last at 12 o'clock; the skipper whereof reports, That numbers of the Indians in alliance with the English had come in there from the late engagement, and every one brought in more or less number of Scalps fixed upon Poles, (its said upwards of 80); and that the Indians gave out, that when they left the camp, general Johnson was bravely recovered from the weakness occasioned by his wound, insomuch as to be able to walk about, and regulate the army in order to follow up the defeat: That the whole body of our Indians were prodigiously inveterate against the French and their Indians, occasioned more particularly by the death of the famous HENDRICK, a renowned Indian warrior among the Mohawks, and one of their sachems (or kings) who was slain in the battle, and whose son, upon being told that his father was kill'd giving the usual Indian groan upon such occasions, and suddenly putting his hand on his left breast, swore *his Father was still alive in that place, and there fixed his son*: That it was with the utmost difficulty general Johnson prevented the fury of their resentment taking place on the body of the French general *Monsr. Dieskau*, whom they would have sacrificed without ceremony, but for the interposition of Mr. Johnson: That numbers of the French regulars, being disordered on the defeat, unacquainted with the country, and afraid of our Indians, had come into our camps and others, stragglers of them, [illegible] prisoners: That it was rumoured throughout the camp, that the balls made use of by the French, were chew'd, and when extracted from a wound, appeared surprisingly green? But upon the French general's being questioned about it, he declared, he gave no such orders; and that if such bullets were fired, they must have come from the irregulars of Canada only, and not from the European soldiers.

Governor Hardy, with the gentlemen who accompanied him, were well at Esopus on wednesday last, on their way to Albany.

His excellency just before he embark'd for that city on sunday last, issued a proclamation, appointing thursday the 2d of October next, to be observed as a day of public thanksgiving throughout this province, for the late victory obtained over the French army, and their Indians.

From Elizabeth town we learn, That an association was to take place there yesterday with the inhabitants of that borough, in order to compleat a company of volunteers of 100 men, to go to the assistance of general Johnson.

And for these several days past subscription papers have been handed about this city and county, to raise money for the purchasing of wine, spices, &c. and all other necessaries comfortable and nourishing to the sick and wounded now on the frontiers of this province, and that have been in the late engagement near lake George; for which purpose, we are told, some hundreds of pounds have been already raised.

Albany, Sept. 13, 1755. On general Johnson's receiving intelligence of the French army's being on their march to attack fort Lyman, commanded by col Blanchard, one Adams, a waggoner, boldly and resolutely undertook to carry a letter to the fort. After Adams had been gone some time about 8 waggoners that had deserted, returned and reported, That they had heard 2 guns fired, and one to cry out, *Have mercy!* which they supposed to be Adams. Upon this the general ordered col. Williams, with a command of men, to march and reinforce the garrison, or attack the men as opportunity offered. Sometime after they march'd, they heard a very heavy firing at about 4 miles distance from the camp, which by degrees grew nearer and nearer, by which they judged their people were retreating. They beat immediately to arms, put every thing in as good order as time and circumstances would permit. col. Whiting conducted the retreat with great judgment, to the admiration of the French general, who is pleased to say, that he believes a retreat was never better conducted.

distant. The French march'd up in great order, with 600 grenadiers, chosen men, in the front, well armed, with their bayonets fixed on their Muskets, bright and glittering, which at first dazzled our troops but after the first and second fire, (the French regulars firing in platoons) and our cannon beginning to play, and well managed, raised their spirits; and as the French general is pleased to say, "they fought not like "men, but devils."

It is supposed that not fewer than 800 men of the enemy are killed, and this will appear probable, if what M. de Diskau says be true, to wit, that there was near 700 killed when he was taken, which was some time before the engagement ended. About eighty of our men killed and wounded.

Among our Indians there were killed only 11 Mohawks, one Oneyda, and one Tuskarora.

Baron Dieskau is an elderly man, and of great account in France, and well experienced in military affairs, as appears by his 3 different and regular attacks in order to break in upon our army; but thanks to God he engaged with one not experienced in those affairs as himself, if not more so, viz. the honourable *William Johnson*, Esq; major general and commander in chief of all the provincial troops designed against Crown-Point, and one of the members of his majesty's council for the province of New-York. The French attack'd him first on the front, where they engaged him two hours: They then attack'd his right wing, which was commanded by col. Titcomb, for two hours likewise; where being vigorously repulsed, they again returned to the front, from thence to the right and left, and at last attempted to come in on the rear of the army; when our general, perceiving danger, ordered Mr. Boyle, his gunner, to throw some shells, which he accordingly did, together with a few 32 pounders, which soon made them shift berths, and retreat in great disorder.

Almost all the officers from France are gentlemen of distinction, and of great families.

General Johnson's letter, sent by Adams to col. Blanchard, was found in the aid-de camp's pocket. Amongst other papers, is found a new and correct map of Hudson's river, and all the Eastern parts of North America, which had been four years making and correcting.

It is reported that the French general said, when he left Quebeck, he intended to have gone to Niagara; but on intelligence received when he was at Montreal, of a numerous army being designed against Crown-Point, it was resolved he should march that way.

It is also reported of an Indian, one Cornelius (whom governor De Lancey made a Sachem) that a white man, standing near him, had his gun split to pieces, and calling out *what shall I do, I have no gun*, the Indian gave him his, jumpt over the breastwork, run up and wrung a gun out of an enemy's hand, turn'd the gun, and shot the man he took it from, and returned to his post.

Capt. Magenis, with 250 men, forced his way through a very numerous body of the enemy, with loss of 2 men killed, 11 wounded, and 5 missing; and tho' his wounds proved mortal, his men brought him alive to the camp. Van Schaick, Capt. Philip Schuyler's lieut. distinguished himself in that action.

Officers killed on our Side.

Col. Williams, Col. Titcomb, Capt. Ingersole.

Indian Officers killed.

Capts. Stoddard, Farrel, Magenis, and Stevens.

Boston, September 8. Last week several vessels arrived here from *Halifax*, and by letters from gentlemen of the best intelligence there, we are told, that in 3 weeks time all the *French* in *Nova-Scotia* would be removed out of that province, but to what place not known. That Col. *Monckton* had orders to destroy every *French* vessel, boat or canow he could find, in any harbour, bay, creek or river in the province, to prevent the inhabitants making their escape. That our fleet had taken 7 or 8 *French* ships and snows, 2 of which from *Martinico*, the rest from *France*, laden with wine, brandy, bale goods, provisions, &c. most of them of great value. That admiral *Boscawen* had given orders to all the captains to take or destroy every *French* vessel that came in their way, and bring those they take into the harbour of *Halifax*. That 9 transports were gone to *Minas*, to take in as many *Neutrals* as they could carry, and that 3 priests or jesuits had been taken and sent to *Halifax*, and were put on board the admiral's ship for security, in order to be sent to *England*.

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CHARLES-TOWN Capt. *Fitch* informs us, that the 20th of *September*, the Evening before he left *New York*, a third Express arrived there from Major-General *Johnson*, with an Account of the Death of Baron *Dieskau*; and that Parties of 30, 40, and 50 at a Time, of the defeated *French* Army, were continually coming into the Camp, and surrendering themselves, to avoid being taken and scalp'd by our *Indians*; being greatly disappointed of their Retreat, by the precipitate Flight of their *Indians* from the Battle near Lake *George*, who, outstripping the *French*, betook themselves to the Battoes that had transported the whole Army, and left not One for the poor *Frenchmen* to make their Escape in. That the *French* had about 400 Men wounded. That the Major General killed, was Mons. *Montreuil*, who commanded the *French* Troops at the late Battle of *Monongahela*. And that Major General *Johnson*'s Camp was at 15 Miles Distance from *Crown-Point*.

As soon as the above News became public, the Gloom that had sat on our Countenances ever since the Defeat of the late brave General *Braddock*, was instantly removed, and an universal Joy took Place: All the Vessels in the Harbour immediately hoisted their Colours, and fired continual Rounds of Cannon 'till Night, when several of them were ornamented with Lights: At Night, a greater Number of Houses in Town were illuminated, than has been known for many Years; and every where nothing was to be heard, but Rejoicings and loyal Toasts, with long live *victorious* JOHNSON. In short, our Joy was too great to be here expressed.

LONDON, July 12.

SEVERAL engineers are going, with proper authority, to inspect and survey the forts, &c. on the coast of Africa, in order to make a report thereof to parliament.

Near 400 tons of ordnance-stores shipped from the Tower for [illegible]

[illegible] has drawn up a manifesto, [illegible] of our taking the schooner laden with flour, bound to Cape-Breton, and condemning her at Halifax; which will be made public in a few days.

London, July 24. We hear, that all the regiments now in England on the British establishment, are ordered to be completed as soon as possible.

At a review at Hanover some time since, before his majesty, of 18,000 soldiers, the king of Prussia was present incognito, dressed in regimentals the same as one of the officers in his army who is very like him; he was attended by an officer only.

London, July 29. According to some advices from Frankfort, old field-marshal Seckendorff, tho' he is little less 82, alarms that part of the world by his journies from one court to another, which are supposed to have some other meaning than bare amusement. He is in good health, has a robust constitution, and is thought to understand the military chart of Germany better than any man in it.

We hear, that 20 men are to be added to each company in the guards with all expedition.

In order to reconcile the report concerning the French ambassador's being ill-used, which occasioned his sudden departure, the public may be assured it was no more than this; that in the news of our taking two of their men of war in North America, the gentlemen performers on the oboe, &c. were so much in earnest, and blew their instruments with such violence, that they burst them, and went to pay their usual compliments to the nobility at White's, and in passing thro' King-street, St. James's square, where the ambassador lived, they formed their circle, and rang him a peal, and afterwards proceeded in great order to St. James's street. 'Tis said, he never got the sound out of his ears 'till he was saluted by the guns on the ramparts, upon his landing at Calais.

As if it were not enough for this country (says yesterday's letters from France) to be at war with the clergy, who do not seem much disposed to peace, nothing is talk'd of in all places but a war that we are on the point of declaring against our neighbours, for which preparations are making with the utmost diligence. Our maritime forces are daily augmenting: The war office hath sent several expresses to Brittany, Artois, and Gascony, with orders to the forces quartered in those provinces to advance: And a surveyor general is gone to all those ports to B—st, to give directions for disembarking with horses from all the places that are most exposed. From the Isle of Ushant to Brest, nine ships having been observed that have English ships cruizing at the mouth of the Channel, which is only 7 leagues distant. Signals likewise are agreed on to be made, from fort to fort, to give instant notice of the motions of those vessels.

Extract of a Letter from Bourdeaux, *dated July 19.*

'We are uneasy here about news that is come, but cannot tell what it is; only conclude it is bad by the appearance of things. About sixty of the West-India ships belonging to this port have arrived since the middle of last month; they have brought to the value of about seventeen millions of livres, or upwards, in sugars, coffee, and indico's, which occasions money to be scarce here, to pay duties, &c. but will make it plenty by and by. We expect about 140 sail more from the West Indies, before the first of October, but are very uneasy about them, hearing the English Hawke, with a large fleet, is ready to sail, we know not whither.'

Philadelphia, September 11. We hear from *Virginia*, that two young women, daughters of one *Lunsficre*, living on the north fork of the south branch of *Potowmac*, were taken by the *French Indians*, as they were looking for their cows near the plantation, and carried off. A party, under capt. *Cocke*, followed the track almost to fort *du Quesne*; but could not come up with the enemy.

MARINE LIST.

Sailed since our last. September 30th. The Otrel, Bennet, for Liverpoole.

Remains Wind-bound. The William Beckford, Bunell, for London; and the ——, Fisky, for Georgia.

Now loaded, or may sail 'twixt this and our next. The Duke of Argyle, Day; and the Peggy & Nelly, Hoggert, for Jamaica the William, Robins, for St. Kitt's; the Nancy, Dickinson, for Antigua; and the Dove, Drummond, for Georgia.

Arrivals from this at other Ports. The Amelia, Dickson; the Halifax, Menzies; the Patience, Pitcarne; the Anne, Coole; the Mary and Sarah, Brodrick; the Endeavour, Mackenzie; the Ruby, Johnson; the 3 Sisters, Grigg; the Katherine, Wyche; the Joseph and Elizabeth, Salmon; the Peggy, Abercrombie; the Neptune, Stephenson; the Prince George, Smith; the Charming Martha, Leslie; and the Loyal Judith, Foot; at Cowes. The Charming Martha, Chisman; the Prince of Wales, Curling; the Martha, Pearse; the Pearl, Paine;—the Carolina, Candé; the Caren, Bullman, and the Judith, Bradshaw, *(last from Oporto)*; at London. The Bristol Merchant, Parsons; the Little Harry, Tufts; the Oldbury, Brown, *(last from Oporto)*; and the Charles Town, Hersey, *(last from Lisbon)*; at Bristol. The Molly, Watts; the Charity, Wadham, *(last from Lisbon)*; and the Dolphin, Briney, *(last from Oporto)*; at Poole. The 3 Sisters, Norman; and the Anne, Todd, at Plymouth. The 7 Sisters, Whitewood, at Figuera. The Wells, Cole, at Oporto. The Charles Town, Roome; the Sally, Schermerhorn; and the Elizabeth, M'Gillivray, at New York.

VESSELS *entered inwards at* CHARLES-TOWN, *since our last.*

Schooner Betsey, James Petrie, from St. Augustine.
Schooner Spy, John Browne, from Jamaica.
Sloop Good-Intent, James Finch, from Connecticut.
Sloop George, James Gilcrist, from Barbados.

Entered Outwards.

Snow Prince William, Wm. Macloud, for Falmouth.

Cleared for Departure.

Snow Otrel, James Bennet, for Liverpoole.

IMPORTED at CHARLES-TOWN,

Since the *first* Day of *November* last.

Negroes,	1240	Hhds. of Metallic,	10
Hhds. of Rum,	1784	Pipes of *Madera* Wine,	313
Barrels,	78	Half Pipes,	13
Hhds. of muscovado & clay'd Sugars,	179	Quarter Pipes,	68
Tierces,	65	Pipes of *Vidonia* Wine,	120
Barrels,	247	Half Pipes,	3
Serons,	171	Quarter Pipes,	21
Tierces of Bisket,	274	Bushels of Salt,	16,223
Barrels,	835	Barrels of *Northward* Beef,	320
Kegs,	1137	And Cyder,	165
Barrels of Flour,	3258		
Kegs,	384		

EXPORTED from CHARLES-TOWN,

Since the *1st* Day of *Nov.* last.

Barrels of Rice,	94 501	Of Beef,	237
Half Barrels,	3125	Of Pork,	898
lb. of Indico,	181,882	Sides of Leather,	3479
Hhds. of Skins,	449	Bushels of Corn	14 322
Bundles,	107	Of Peafe,	7.796
Loofe,	458	Shingles,	848 925
Barrels of Pitch,	5273	Staves,	144 432
Of Tar,	2146	Feet of Scantling, Plank and Boards,	237.690
Of Stern Tar,	547		
Of Turpentine,	1626		

Of the RICE, 22,588 whole Barrels, and 2057 half Barrels, were shipped for the Southward of Cape *Finisterre*.

Charles-Town, October 18, 1755.

Mr. *Timothy*,

AGREEABLE to the Directions of an Act of the General Assembly of this Province, *for regulating the Assize of* BREAD, I have enquired the Price of *FLOUR*, and find it to be at *Four Pounds* and *Ten Shillings per Hundred*; at which Price the Half-Crown Loaves are to weigh as follows,

White 2 *lb.* 4 *oz.* Wheaten 3 *lb.* 6 *oz.*
Houshold 4 *lb.* 8 *oz.*

William Pinckney, Commissary-General.

PRICE CURRENT at CHARLES-TOWN, of the following Goods.

(Of the Country Produce.)

By the Barrel.		By the Pound.	
Rice, *per Ct.*	40 *s.*	Deer-Skins,	13 *s.*
Tar,	*none at Market.*	Best Indico,	no Price
Pitch,	ditto.	Inferr. ——	
Green ditto,	ditto.	Cann'd Tallow,	3 *s.* 9
Turpentine,	ditto.	By the Bushel,	
Pork,	ditto.	Corn,	12 *s.* 6
Beef,	ditto.	Peafe,	12 *s.* 6

ADVERTISEMENTS.

JAMES POYAS

HAS *juſt imported in the* Charming Betſey, *Capt.* Murray, *from* London, *a choice aſſortment of goods, conſiſting of the following (among a variety of other) uſeful articles, viz. fine all wide breſſins, brown holes.* German *oſnabrugs* 3 4/4 & 7 8/4 *garlix, red ſtrip'd ditto, dowlas, ſpeg'd & double tanaum, fillſiat, piſſal cottons, britannias, cambricks, clear lawns, fine gauze holland, brown ditto,* 3 4/4 & 7 8/4 *linnen & cotton checks & ſtripes & cotton gowns, a great variety of printed linnens, callicoes & chints, muſlins, blue & white & red & white ſtriped ginghams,* Manchester & Scotch *handkerchiefs, with linnen of all prices, ditto sheeting, cambletets, worſted damaſks, callimancoes & ſilk poplins, womens new faſhioned ſilk hats & bonnets, capuchins, ſcarlet cloaks, ribbons, ivory & other fans, agat necklaces & pound beads, mens & womens worſted and yarn hoſe, ſingle & double worſted caps, patterns for breeches, mens & womens lamb & ſatting gloves & mitts, a variety of ready made cloaths, broad cloths & bear ſkin, mens ſhoes & pumps, womens leather & ſtuff ditto, felt hats, ſadlers & bridings, pewter, bread & narrow hoes, falling & broad axes & ſteel ſwhet ſpades, White's beſt hand, croſs cut & whip ſaws, & moſt other kinds of iron ware uſually imported, neat ſowing pitties, loaf ſugar, raiſins & currants,* Durham *muſtard, platters & ſpelling books, ſlates & pencils, &c. which he will ſell on the leaſt profit*

And the ſaid *Poyas* takes this opportunity of earneſtly requeſting all perſons indebted to the co partneſhip of *Town & Poyas* (eſpecially ſuch whoſe accompts have been a twelve month or longer ſtanding) to diſcharge the ſame as ſoon as poſſible, that he may be enabled to anſwer the demands of the ſaid company and ſo ſettle their affairs which there will be an abſolute neceſſity of doing ſhortly.

TO BE SOLD by the ſubſcriber, at public vendue, at *George-Town Winyah*, on wedneſday the 5th day of *November* nex, if a fair day, (which if not, then on the next fair day) for ready money, or one year's credit with ſecurity, and paying intereſt, all the lands formerly the property of *Daniel Laroche*, Eſq; ſome being on *Pedee River*, and ſome on *Waccamaw River*, alſo an iſland called the *North-Iſland*, and one half of an iſland called *Cat Iſland*; likewiſe ſeveral lots in *George Town*, two of which are on the *Bay*

And TO BE SOLD, at the ſubſcriber's plantation on *John's Iſland*, on wedneſday the 26th of *November*, a parcel of good mares and colts and young horſes.

Both ſales to begin at 10 of the clock.

GEORGE SAXBY.

ONE THOUSAND POUNDS to be lett at Intereſt by the *Winyah Indico Society*. Application to be made to *George Auſtin*, Eſq; in *Charles-Town*, or in *George Town* to

Joſiah Dubourdieu, Clerk to the Society.

JOHN MIDDELTON, tolls a bay gelding, about 13 hands and an half high, branded on the mounting ſhoulder with GI in one. The owner muſt prove his property before

b *Moſes Thomſon.*

RAN AWAY from the ſubſcriber's plantation on *Wando* neck, about 4 months ago, a negro man named *July*, who did formerly belong to *Barnaby Cockfield* of *Aſhley* River, and is ſuppoſed to be harboured thereabout.

ALSO RAN AWAY from *Charles-Town*, a negro man well known by the name of *Bacchus*, about 25 years of age, well made, of a yellowiſh complexion, and generally wears a yellow ſh ſhort woollen jacket; a very ſenſible fellow and ſpeaks good *Engliſh*. I HEREBY forwarn any perſon or perſons, on their peril, to harbour or conceal either of the ſaid ſervants: But whoſoever will bring them to the work houſe or the ſubſcriber, ſhall have a reward of *Five Pounds* currency for the firſt, and *Ten Pounds* for the latter, and all reaſonable expences paid by

WILLIAM LLOYD.

N.B. He has a good back ſtore to lett.

ROBERT BOYD, who has for ſome Time paſt rented Mr. *Rober's* Wharf, and intends to continue, GIVES THIS PUBLIC NOTICE, That all neceſſary Attendance and Diſpatch will be given, for the *Loading* and *Weighing* of Rice, &c. That, as he has entered upon the Buſineſs of a FACTOR, all Orders which Country Gentlemen or others may be pleaſed to favour him with, ſhall be carefully executed; their PRODUCE ſold on the uſual Commiſſions; and their Intereſts made his particular Study. — *N.B.* He purpoſes always to have by him for Sale, at as reaſonable Rates as they are ſold any where in Town, a Quantity of choice *Weſt-India* RUM, (by the Hogſhead, Quarter Caſk, or any ſmaller Quantity not under *Three* Gallons, SALT, muſcovado and loaf SUGAR, and good *Madeira* and *Vidonia* WINES (by the Dozen), &c. &c. &c.

JUST imported in the *Victory*, Capt. *Wm. Patterſon*, directly from *Madeira*, a parcel of choice WINES, to be ſold by *Charles Mayer*.

AN OVERSEER well recommended, will meet with great encouragement from *John Drayton*

TO BE SOLD at public vendue, conformable to the will of *William Rendall* late of *Charles Town*, blackſmith, deceaſed, on Tueſday the 28th inſtant, for ready money, all the real and perſonal eſtate of the ſaid deceaſed, conſiſting of two tracts of land at the *Saltcatchers* in *Colleton* county, one containing 300 acres, the other 600, part of houſe and lot in *King ſtreet*, oppoſite to *John Cuthe's*, all his houſhold goods and ſome plate, a negro blackſmith, two wenches and 4 children, 4 anchors, ſeveral ſmiths bellows, anvils, vices, ſleges, and all ſorts of ſmiths tools, ſeveral ſorts of iron work for ſhip chandlers, ſome cart wheels, feather edge boards, wearing apparel, and many other articles. All perſons any ways indebted to the ſaid eſtate, are deſired to pay forthwith; and thoſe to whom it was indebted to bring in atteſted accompts of their demands, to *Robert Williams*, executor.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue, at the ſubſcriber's houſe in *St. Bartholomew's* pariſh, on the 4th day of *November* next, for credit 'till the 1ſt of *March* paying intereſt and giving ſecurity; all the effects of *William Smith*, carpenter, deceaſed, conſiſting of a likely young negro who has work'd 3 years at the carpenter's trade, a good houſe wench and her child, 2 horſes, ſundry houſhold goods, a pew in the chapel, and a choice aſſortment of carpenter's tools. All perſons indebted to the ſaid eſtate, are deſired to make ſpeedy payment; and its creditors, to bring in their accompts properly atteſted, by the day of ſale, to *Robert Saron*, executor.

RUN AWAY from the ſubſcriber, a tall, luſty, ſenſible negro fellow, call'd *London*, who is well known in *Charles-Town* as well as in moſt parts of the country; he was for many years patroon of my wood boat, and it's thought will be harboured in or about town. Whoever delivers him to the warden of the work houſe, or to me at *Pompion*, ſhall receive 10 *l.* reward. *George Logan.*

SOUTH-CAROLINA. WHEREAS *James Lingard*, of *Charles-Town*, in the ſaid province, blackſmith, hath exhibited his petition to the chief juſtice and aſſiſtant juſtices of the court of common pleas, ſetting forth, that he is in the cuſtody of the provoſt-marſhal of this province, upon an execution at the ſuit of *James Laurens* and *Jacob Motte*, for a debt by them ſued for; and that he is ready and willing to make ſurrender upon oath, to any one or more of his creditors, in truſt for the reſt, all and ſingular his eſtate, both real and perſonal, a liſt or ſchedule whereof is annexed to his ſaid petition; and praying to be admitted to the benefit of the acts of the general aſſembly of this province made for the relief of inſolvent debtors: *It is therefore ordered*, and the ſaid *James Laurens* and *Jacob Motte*, and all others to whom the ſaid petitioner is any ways indebted are hereby ſummoned, and have notice to appear at the uſual place of judicature in *Charles-Town*, at the meeting of the court of common pleas which ſhall happen next after *thirty* days from the publication hereof, to ſhew cauſe, if any they can, why the ſaid petitioner ſhould not have the prayer of his petition granted. *October* 2d, 1755. *Dougal Campbell*, Cl.C.P.

ALL Perſons indebted to *John Wilſon & Company*, either by bond, note or book-debt, are deſired to pay the ſame to *Woodrop & Dunciat*, co partners in the ſaid company, to whom I have made over my whole right and property in the co-partneſhip. *John Wilſon.*

ALL perſons indebted to *John Wilſon & Company*, before the firſt of *January* laſt, are deſired to pay or ſettle their accompts before the *firſt* day of *November* next, with the ſubſcribers, other ways they may expect to be ſued without further notice. *Woodrop & Dunciat.*

STRAY'D away in *June*, 1754, a black ſtry, about 15 years old, branded on the ſhoulder A, in one, and WR in one under it, beſides which he has *His own Brand* on the ſame ſhoulder, in a cypher, on one of his buttocks. ALſO, in *June* laſt, out of an old field in *Dutch Creek*, a bright bay horſe, about 14 hands high, with a ſtar and blaze in his face, and 4 white feet, trots pretty faſt, bred by Mr. *Tober* near *Augoſta*, branded on the mounting buttock WG, and was very low in fleſh when loſt. Whoever delivers the ſaid horſes to *Richard Waters* butcher in *Charles-Town*, ſhall have 3 *l.* reward for each, and all reaſonable charges.

AN Overſeer well recommended, may meet with good encouragement. Inquire of the Printer.

WILLIAM GIBBES continues to act as a FACTOR. (And as he makes it his only buſineſs) thoſe that pleaſe to favour him, may depend on their orders being carefully executed. He alſo keeps a good deck'd boat of 100 barrels burthen. b

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CHOICE Water, Milk, and Butter biſket, in kegs; flour in kegs, ſhip bread in tierces, beſt chocolate, *London* ſingle refined ſugar, muſcovado ſugar in barrels, *Weſt-India* and *Northward* rum by the hogſhead or ſmaller quantity; TO BE SOLD cheap by JOHN ERNEST POYAS, at his ſtore in *Elliott Street*.

To be Let, and entered upon immediately, the houſe and range of back ſtores, and premiſſes, ſituate on the *Bay*, now and for ſeveral years laſt paſt, in the tenure of *Meſſrs. Shubrick, & Comp.* the back ſtores are inferior to none in *Charles Town*, and the dwelling houſe has ſeveral large rooms in it, extremely well finiſhed, with a large front piazza, and a very good dry cellar.

Any perſon incliable to rent either of the above premiſſes, may treat with the ſubſcriber. Who has to hire by the month or year, a handy wench, who is a very good ſeamſtreſs; alſo a negro fellow, an exceeding good bricklayer.

thief CHARLES PINCKNEY.

STOLEN or ſtray'd from *Charles-Town*, on the 31ſt of *July* laſt, a bay horſe about 15 hands high, branded on the near buttock SI, has a blemiſh in one eye. Whoever delivers him to me in *Charles Town*, ſhall have 40 *s.* reward.

William Scott.

MILNER & LEGER

ACQUAINT their Friends, that they continue the Factorage Buſineſs; either in the Diſpoſal of the Country Produce here, or the Shipping it off for them: And as they greatly hope they gave a general Satisfaction to thoſe who employed them the laſt Year, doubt not it will recommend them to the Continuance of their further Favours the enſuing Crop.

Jonathan Remington, Taylor,

GIVES Notice, that he continues to carry on his Business in all its Branches at Mr. *Vanhagen's* ancient Stand in the Bay, where all Gentlemen and others who please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on having their Work done in the neatest and most fashionable manner, (not inferior to any in *America*), and on reasonable terms.

N. B. He also scours and cleanses all kinds of woollen cloaths in the best manner from dirt, grease, tar, &c. b

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THE Subscriber, now living in one of Mr. *Wragg's* Tenements, next door to Mr. *Timmins's*, and having received the use of his hands, so far as his health as usual, where his former customers, or others who will please to employ him, may depend on being served with care and diligence, by JOHN QUASH.

TAKEN up about *Ashepoo*, the following Strays, viz. A black gelding with a star and small face, about 13 hands high, branded on the near buttock *J. O.* A brown bay ditto, about 13 hands and an half high, with a star on his forehead, and branded on the near buttock G C. A chesnut ditto, about 13 hands high, a blaze in his face, both his hind feet and one fore foot white, and branded on the mounting shoulder and buttock D C, the back of the C comes within the round of the D. A bay filly, about 14 hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder W C, with a small star, and his near hind foot white. The owners must apply to b *Henry Hyrne.*

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of *Mary Fayssoux* deceased, are desired to discharge the same before the first day of *December* next, when such as neglect so to do will be sued without further notice. And those to whom the said estate is indebted, may bring in their accounts properly attested, to be discharged. *John Lloyd,*
William Hendly, Charles Ruffin, Executors.

JUST IMPORTED

IN the Charming Betsey, Capt. Mercer, from London, a fresh assortment of DRUGS and MEDICINES, with Turlington's Balsam, Ianne's powder, *Spirit of scurvy grass*, and most kinds of Family Medicines usually imported here; also sugar, barley sugar, white and brown candy, anchors, cloves, mace, nutmegs, loaf gold, vermillion, scales and weights: All which, with sundry teas, spices, paints, oils, pickles, tobacco, snuff, and sundry other articles, are to be sold on the most reasonable terms, by
SAMUEL CARNE.

RUN from the said Samuel Carne, a young negro fellow, well known in Charles-Town, named London; he formerly belonged to Mr. David Crawford. Whoever harbours or entices the said negro, may depend upon being prosecuted according to law: If delivered to me or the warden of the work house, 40 sh. reward and all reasonable charges.

SAMUEL PERONNEAU

HAS just imported in the *Charming Betsey*, Capt. *Mercer*, from *London*, mens, womens, boys and girls worsted hose, *Irish* stuff, callimancoes purple and white calicoes, white chints, bombazines, crow coloured poplin, cotton gowns, tea and loaf sugar, with sundry other goods, at very low prices.

STOLEN or stray'd from *Charles-Town*, a bay horse, about 14 hands high, branded on the off shoulder *WG* in one or something like it, with a dull star in his forehead, and a white forefoot; his withers on the mounting side, being an old saddle gall, trots, and draws very well in a chair. A black horse, near 14 hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder or buttock IL in one, paces very fast, and draws in a chair. A red cow, with a bell on, branded WG in one but much blotch'd, mark'd with a crop and upper bit in her right ear, and an half crop in her left. Whoever will deliver the above creatures to the subscriber, shall receive for the bay horse 30*l.* and for the black horse and cow 40*s.* each. *William Gibbes.*

TO BE SOLD, a choice tract of 450 acres of land, on the north side of *Santee* river in *Craven* county, bounding on lands not then laid out. Any person inclined to purchase, may see the plan and grant in the hands of Mr. John Serre in Charles-Town, and treat with him, or the subscriber on *St. Helena*. JOSEPH JENKINS.

Extract from an Advertisement of the Society in London for the Encouragement of Arts, Manufactures, and Commerce.

AS 300 *lb* Weight of Silk has been lately imported from *Georgia*, which having been examined by above *thirty* principal Dealers and Manufacturers of Silk at *London*, has been reported under their Hands to be equal in Goodness to the *Italian* and *Chinese* Silks, and well prepared and in good Condition for the Weaver's Use. — — — — — —

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And as Silk has likewise been produced in *Carolina*, the Society, to encourage the same, further propose:

11 To the Person who shall plant, and properly fence, the greatest Number of White Mulberry Trees on his own Plantation, in the Province of *Carolina*, before the first of *March* 1756. 10*l* Sterl.

12 For the second greatest Number, 5*l*.

13 For the third greatest Number, 3*l*.

The Sums above mentioned are remitted to the Subscribers, who will receive Claims (with proper Certificates) until the last Tuesday *in* March *next, and pay the Premiums on the Tuesday following.*

H. BRENNOR DE BRITAIN.
WILLIAM BULL

TO BE SOLD on Thursday the 2 day of *October*, at the plantation of *David Godin*, sq; deceased, a parcel of valuable slaves, most of them born in this country, amongst them several handy boys and girls: likewise an extraordinary built sloop, now on the stocks, burthen about 80 tons, and only wants caulking to be put in the water; a schooner that will carry 100 barrels, compleatly fitted: and a handsome pleasure boat, with sails, &c. all in good order: Credit will be given 'till the 25th of *March*, paying interest, and giving good security. The sale to begin at 10 o'clock. All persons that have any demands on the estate of the said *David Godin*, are desired to bring in their accounts properly attested; and those who are indebted to that estate are requested to make speedy payment to *Deborah Webb, Thos. Middleton,*
Thos. Hutchinson, & Wm. Webb, Executors.

THE Ship PRINCE GEORGE, Captain *Peter Bullock*, sails for *LONDON* by the 15th of *October*: For Freight of Indico, Skins, or Passage, apply to *Stubricks*, & Co.

TO BE SOLD, a tract of land, situate at *Wappoo* in *St. Andrew's* parish containing about 1300 acres, and the greatest part of it suitable for rice and corn or indico: It was formerly a well settled plantation, and there is now upon it three sets of negro houses, and about 50 acres under a good fence. Any person inclinable to purchase, may treat with *Henry Middleton.*

LATELY IMPORTED, and to be sold at a low rate, *West India* Rum, muscovado and loaf Sugar, *Canary-Vidonia* Wine, fine *Minikin* Flour, bohea Tea, white and blue Paints, strip'd Duffils, sash Glass and Nails of most sorts, cut and dried Tobacco, *Irish* shirting and sheeting Linnen, with sundry other Articles, by
AUSTIN & LAURENS.

THE Gentlemen Troopers belonging to the *St. George's* troop are desired to meet on the 6th of *October* (being the usual troop-day) compleatly cloathed and armed, at the appointed place of parade in *Dorchester*.
Meynell Walter, Clerk.

A BAY Gelding about 13 Hands high, with a switch tail and some small white specks about his right side, branded on the mounting shoulder S B, and on the off shoulder M. The owner may, on proving his property to the said gelding, apply to b *Samuel Thomas.*

TO BE LETT *and entered immediately*, the house and stores (with a good vault underneath) in Broad-Street, belonging to the estate of Paul Jeoys *deceased*, and lately in the occupation of Mr. Morton Brailsford, very conveniently situated for trade. Inquire of the said William Roper.

JUST IMPORTED in the Sloop *Mary*, Capt. *William Patterson*, directly from *Madera*, a parcel of CHOICE WINES, of the best Growth, (commonly distinguished by the Name of *New York* Wines): Also in the last vessels from *New York*, fine *Esopus* flour, ship and water biskett. To be sold by
ROBERT PEARCE HENDERSON.

ON Tuesday the 7th Day of *October* 1755 will be held, at the house of Mr. *Edward Peinsett*, in *Charles-Town*, a quarterly meeting of the *South-Carolina* society, where the members are desired to attend precisely at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

All persons indebted to the society for interest, are desired to discharge the same immediately, otherwise their bonds will be sued.

By order of the Society,
SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, *Clerk.*

For *LONDON*,
The Ship
LIVE-OAK,
JAMES RODGER *Master*.

WILL certainly sail in *November*. For Freight or Passage, apply to Mr. *John Savage* or said Master.

TO BE SOLD for ready Money, at Public Sale, on Thursday the 9th of *October* 1755, at the House of *Elisha Poinsett* in *Elliott street*, the said House and Land, two Negroes, sundry Household Goods, &c. For Particulars, inquire of said *Elisha Poinsett.*

Who desires all persons who are any ways indebted to him, to make payment on or before the above date.

ONE THOUSAND *Pounds* to be lent, on good personal security. Inquire of the Printer.

STRAY'D some time ago, into one of my plantations on *Horse* savanna, the following horses, *viz.* A large chesnut, branded on the near buttock PI, having a star in his forehead and several saddle spots on his back. A small sorrel, about 5 years old, with a blaze in his face, both hind feet white, and branded on the near buttock 5. And a large old roan, with both hind feet white, a small star in his forehead, and branded on the mounting shoulder and buttock *EI* in one. The claimants must prove their property before *Henry Middleton.*

Middleton & Brailsford

HAVE lately imported, in the *Live-Oak* from *Bristol*, choice WHITE, BLUE and GREEN PLAINS; which, with all other *European* and *East-India* Goods usually imported here, also choice *West-India* RUM and muscovado SUGAR, and fine *VIDONIA* WINE, they will sell cheap. *Ditto.*

Brought to the Work-House.

August 18th, 1755. *Frank*, a run away negro fellow, belonging to the late *Mr. William Kennedy* at the *Indian Land*: Taken up two miles beyond *Dorchester*.

August 30th, 1755. *Sam*, a run-away negro fellow, who says he belongs to *James Bagbee* at *Goose-Creek*, and has a crooked knee: Taken up at *Augusta* in the colony of *Georgia*.

September 5th, 1755. *Adam*, a run away negro fellow, pock broken, can't tell his master's name; has on white negro cloth jacket and breeches: Taken up 3 miles beyond *Stono* bridge.

High-Water at Charles-Town on		October	In the Morning H.	M.	In the Afternoon. H.	M.		Sun rises H.	M.	Sun sets H.	M.
	Friday	3d	5	12	5	36	High-Water at the Bar an Hour and an half sooner than at *Charlestown*.	5	9	6	51
	Saturday	4th	6		6	24		5	10	6	50
	Sunday	5th	6	48	7	12		5	11	6	49
	Monday	6th	7	36	8			5	12	6	48
	Tuesday	7th	8	24	8	48		5	13	6	47
	Wednesday	8th	9	12	9	36		6	14	6	46
	Thursday	9th	10		10	24		6	15	6	45

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